

DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL SERVICES  
STATE OF HAWAII

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Class Specifications  
for the Classes:

TRAFFIC STRIPING MACHINE OPERATOR I & II  
(TRAFFIC STRIPING MACH OPTR I & II)

Duties Summary:

Operates traffic striping machines in painting traffic regulatory markings on streets and highways as a major work assignment and performs operational maintenance; and performs other related duties as assigned.

Distinguishing Characteristics:

These classes perform skilled equipment operative work in painting and repainting of traffic regulatory markings on streets and highways.

Grade Standards:

Grade I: This class is distinguished by its responsibility for operating a non-passenger, one gun traffic striping machine which is primarily used to paint medial strips, crosswalks and traffic markings around curbs.

Grade II: This class is distinguished by its responsibility for operating a passenger-type self-propelled, two gun traffic striping machine which is used to paint traffic regulatory and street markings on streets and highways.

Examples of Duties:

Assists in laying out traffic markings; paints double lines, center lines, stop lines, crosswalks; operates a tennent scraper to remove traffic markings from pavement; marks directional arrows, parking stalls and loading zones; mixes paints to proper consistency; cleans, lubricates, and makes minor repairs and adjustments to striping machines; installs traffic signs, markers and reflectors; operates and maintains trucks used by the traffic striping crew.

Minimum Qualification Requirements:

Experience and Training: Some work experience involving the operation of equipment representative of the class; or an equivalent combination of experience and training.

License Required: Possession of a valid State of Hawaii motor vehicle operator's license.

Knowledge of: Proper care and maintenance of painting equipment representative of the class; characteristics and uses of paints; practices and materials used in traffic marking and striping work; and occupational hazards and safety precautions applicable to the work.

Ability to: Operate painting equipment representative of the class; operate motor equipment representative of the class; mix paints to proper consistency; make minor repairs and adjustments to equipment representative of the class; and understand and follow oral and written instructions.

Physical and Medical Requirements:

Applicants must be physically able to perform, efficiently and effectively, the essential duties of the position which typically require the ability to read without strain printed material the size of typewritten characters, glasses permitted, and the ability to hear the conversational voice, with or without a hearing aid, or the ability to compensate satisfactorily. Handicaps in these or other areas will not automatically result in disqualification. Those applicants who demonstrate that they are capable of performing the essential functions of the position will not be disqualified under this section.

Any condition which would cause applicants to be a hazard to themselves or others is cause for disqualification.

Any disqualification under this section will be made only after a review of all pertinent information including the results of the medical examination, and requires the approval of the Director.

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This is an amendment to the class specification for the classes TRAFFIC STRIPING MACHINE OPERATOR I, II, approved on November 6, 1958.

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s/Clement L. Kamalu  
for JAMES H. TAKUSHI  
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